

The scheme was subsequently dropped as the Village Panchayet was not in a position to meet either of these charges.

(c) If the Village Panchayet comes forward with even a moderate contribution towards the cost of the scheme and agrees to meet the annual maintenance charges in this behalf the question would be considered by the Government again.

ಶ್ರೀ ಸಿದ್ದಯ್ಯ ಉರುಫ್ ಕುನ್ನ್ಯಯ್ಯ.—ಗುಂಡ್ಲುಪೇಟೆ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕಿನ ಹಂಗಳ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಜನಗಳು ಒಂದು ಮೈಲಿಯಿಂದ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರನ್ನು ತರುತ್ತಿರುವುದು ನಿಜವಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಚಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.—ಹೌದು.

* ಶ್ರೀ ಸಿದ್ದಯ್ಯ ಉರುಫ್ ಕುನ್ನ್ಯಯ್ಯ.—ಅಲ್ಲಿನ ಗ್ರಾಮ ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿಯವರು ಬಡತನದಿಂದ ಯಾವ ವಿಧವಾದ ಸಹಾಯವನ್ನೂ ಒದಗಿಸಲು ಒಪ್ಪಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲವಾಗಿರುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಚಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.—1952ನೆಯ ಇಸವಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರಿಗಾಗಿ ಒಂದು ಯೋಜನೆ ಮಾಡಿತ್ತೆಂದು ಉತ್ತರದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೇಳಿದೆ. ಆದರೆ ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿಯವರು ಈ ವೆಚ್ಚಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಐದು ಸಾವಿರ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಡಲೂ ಮತ್ತು ವಾರ್ಷಿಕ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ವೆಚ್ಚವನ್ನು ವಹಿಸಲೂ ಮುಂದೆ ಬರಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಅವರು ಹಣ ವೆಚ್ಚಮಾಡಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದರಿಂದ ಈ ಯೋಜನೆ ಕೈಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾಗಲಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಸಿದ್ದಯ್ಯ ಉರುಫ್ ಕುನ್ನ್ಯಯ್ಯ.—ಈ ಕೋಟಾ ಇಲ್ಲದೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಯೋಜನೆ ಕೈಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು ಕಷ್ಟವಾಗಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಚಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.—ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿಯವರು ಸ್ವಲ್ಪವಾದರೂ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಯೋಜನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ಶಿವರುದ್ರಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ಕೋಟಾ ಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಅವರು ಪದೇ ಪದೇ ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿರುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಚಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.—ಬಂದಿದೆ.

Mr. SPEAKER.—I feel for that village. It is a big village and they will have to bring water from a very long distance.

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—It will be considered. The only thing is, if at least they are prepared to meet the cost of maintenance, Government is prepared to take up the work.

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—With your permission Sir, I want to say something. In the month of August we allotted Rs. 11,35,000 for paying pending bills and for completing incomplete wells. That amount, of course, is not sufficient ; I can see it. In the coming year we will try to allot more funds

for drinking water works and we will try our best to sanction this.

12-30 P.M.

Desection of Crimes under Gaming.

Q.—143. Sri B. NARAYANASWAMY (Mysore City South).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of cases detected in the cities of Bangalore and Mysore under the amended Mysore Police Act of 1953, for offences that come under Gamings, especially *satta* gambling ;

(b) how many cases were filed and how many were convicted ?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(a) Bangalore City	...	53
Bangalore Civil Station..		38

Total	...	91
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Mysore City	...	6
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(b)		<i>Cases filed</i>	<i>Cases convicted</i>
Bangalore City	..	53	41
Bangalore Civil Station	...	38	23
Mysore City	...	6	4

(The remaining cases are pending trial).

Sri B. NARAYANASWAMY.—May I know when these cases were filed ?

*Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—I have not got the exact dates on which they were filed.

Sri B. NARAYANASWAMY.—Is it not a fact that they were filed after the interpellation was tabled ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—I am glad to hear that the interpellation was very effective.

Sri M. V. RAMA RAO.—May I know what is the period of time to which these figures relate ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—After the Act was passed, these cases have been filed. But I have not got the exact dates. But from what date they

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commenced and up to what point of time the answers have been compiled, I will give. It is not very difficult. The figures relate up to 9-1-54.

Sri M. V. RAMA RAO.—How many of the cases are in respect of satta gambling and how many are in respect of other cases of gambling?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Most of these cases relate to satta gambling.

Sri M. V. RAMA RAO.—Are there any other cases filed by the Police?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—There are even other cases of gambling coming under the Police Act.

Sri M. V. RAMA RAO.—May I know how many cases there are of gambling other than Satta gambling?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—I will furnish that figure tomorrow.

ಶ್ರೀ ತಮ್ಮಯ್ಯ.—ಮೈಸೂರು ನಿಟಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲವು ಪೊಲೀಸಿನವರು ಈ ಜೂಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿರುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲವೇ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—It is now brought to their notice.

Sri K. LAKKAPPA.—Does playing cards with stake of four annas or one rupee come under gambling?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—It does not depend upon stake but on whether it is a game of skill or of chance. That is the only criterion.

Extending monopoly of bus transport system up to Chitaldrug.

Q.—201. Sri G. SIVAPPA (Holalkere).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) how many new buses are purchased by the Department of Road Transport;

(b) when they will be put on the line;

(c) whether they are contemplating to extend the monopoly system up to Chitaldrug with these new buses?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(a) 50 new chassis are purchased and the work pertaining to the

construction of bus bodies on them is in progress.

(b) As soon as they are ready.

(c) The matter is under consideration.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—When did the Government purchase the new chassis and on what date you gave them over for body building to the foreign companies?

* Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—The chassis were purchased about three months back and as soon as they were purchased, tenders for body building were called for and they were given for body building. The latest report is that by the end of this month ten buses after bodies being built will be ready for use and afterwards they take about another fifteen days or a month to get the other 40 buses.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Then, why is there so much of delay in the construction of body building?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Even with regard to the purchase of chassis there is so much of delay because we awaited the Government of India's help regarding which chassis have to be purchased under the National Scheme of things. They took some considerable time but after it was finalised unfortunately there was a strike in the Premier Automobiles.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Will the Government extend the monopoly system up to Chitaldrug with these new buses?

Mr. SPEAKER.—It is under consideration; he has said so.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Has it come to the notice of the Government that one-third of the earnings of the department are derived from the extension of the system?

Mr. SPEAKER.—I cannot understand this question. It is said that the matter is under consideration.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—May I know whether it is under consideration to open a depot at Chitaldrug?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Yes.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—May I know when it will be opened?

Mr. SPEAKER.—“By the end of the month”, so he said yesterday.